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Mr. Charles F. Lummis
200 E. Avenue 43
Los Angeles, California

My dear Mr. Lummis

We are very much interested in your letter telling of your publication entitled, "Spanish Songs of Old California". We should be very glad indeed to see a copy of this book and we believe it would be of much interest to recreational groups throughout the country. We are wondering if you would care to send us a copy of this book for review in The Playground magazine. We should also be glad to mention it in our bulletins. Professor Peter W. Bykema of Columbia University who cooperates with Community Service in many ways has suggested that this book should be reviewed in The Playground. In case you are able to send us a copy we shall be glad to do what we can to bring it to the attention of music and recreational groups.

Sincerely yours

Leopold D. Butler
Bureau of Community Music

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December thirty-first,
Nineteen Twenty-four.

Mr. George D. Butler,
Bureau of Community Music,
315 Fourth Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Butler,

Certainly I am glad to send you a copy of the "Spanish Songs of Old California" for review in your publication, but particularly for use in your Community Service.

Arthur Farwell and other leaders of community choruses are finding the book of very great welcome and helpfulness in their work; and the Community Sings at Pasadena--nine-tenths of the people Easterners and unfamiliar with Spanish--are most inspiring; for they devour these Spanish songs with a smack of preference beyond any of the old English favorites.

Wishing you success in your work, and hoping that my little salvage of the folk songs of California may be helpful among your people, I am

Sincerely yours,

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January 10, 1925

Mr. Charles F. Lummis
200 East Avenue 43
Los Angeles, Calif.

My dear Mr. Lummis

I appreciate very much your sending us a copy of "Spanish Songs of Old California". We shall take pleasure in reviewing this in The Playground Magazine which reaches community groups throughout the country and we shall also have opportunity to call it to the attention of community music leaders. I am sure that you have rendered the country a real service in preserving these old folk songs of California.

Sincerely yours

George S. Butler
Bureau of Community Music

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